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SUBJECT: U.S./HUNGARIAN 4-H AGREEMENT

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1. TWO DAYS FOLLOWING TRANSMITTAL REFTEL HUNGARIAN MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MFA) REQUESTED THAT EMBASSY, IN INTEREST OF TIME, TRANSMIT HUNGARIAN DRAFT OF EXCHANGE AGREEMENT WITH 4-H TO 4-H HEADQUARTERS.

2. MFA EMPHASIZED THAT GOH FULLY AWARE OF PRIVATE NATURE OF 4-H ORGANIZATION, BUT DUE TO HUNGARIAN POUCH SCHEDULE WERE REQUESTING EMBASSY ASSISTANCE SOLELY IN THE INTEREST OF GETTING HUNGARIAN DRAFT INTO 4-H HANDS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. MAGYAR DRAFT WAS PRESENTED UNDER COVER OF LETTER FROM DEPUTY AGRICULTURE MINISTER HAMMER TO CHARGE MUDD. IN THIS LETTER HAMMER DREW ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT CONTRACTING PARTY ON GOH SIDE WILL BE UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE AT GODOLLO.

3. GOH STATED THAT IT IS ANXIOUS TO BEGIN EXCHANGE PROGRAM THIS YEAR. MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE APOLOGIZED FOR DELAY ON ITS PART, BUT LOOKS FORWARD TO RECEIVING 4-H
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COMMENTS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, FOLLOWED BY SIGNING OF AGREEMENT.

4. EMBASSY PERUSAL OF PROPOSAL LEADS US TO CONCLUDE THAT SUCH AN EXCHANGE PROGRAM, INVOLVING 15-30 YOUNG AGRICULTURAL SPECIALISTS ANNUALLY, WOULD BE MAJOR STEP FORWARD IN IMPROVING BILATERAL UNDERSTANDING. EMBASSY URGES THAT

EUR/EE TRANSMIT HUNGARIAN DRAFT TO PRESSLY AT 4-H HEADQUARTERS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND OFFER TO ASSIST IN ANY WAY POSSIBLE.

5. ENGLISH TEXT OF DRAFT FOLLOWS. ENGLISH AND HUNGARIAN ORIGINALS BEING FORWARDED TO EUR/EE.

6. BEGIN QUOTE: AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY FOR AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES AT GODOLLO AND THE NATIONAL 4-H FOUNDATION, INC. THE UNIVERSITY FOR AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES AT GODOLLO, (2100 GODOLLO BYISZTOR TER 1, HERINFAFTER UNIVERSITY) AND THE NATIONA 4-H FOUNDATION (7100 CONNECTICUT AVENUE, CHEVY CHASE, MARYLAND, HERE- INAFTER FOUNDATION) IN ORDER TO PROMOTE MUTUAL EXCHANGE, PROFESSIONAL TRAINING AND SPECIALISTS, AGREE ON THE FOLLOWING:

ARTICLE I

THE AIM OF THE SPECIALISTS' EXCHANGE MENTIONED IN THE AGREEMENT IS TO PROVIDE POSSIBILITIES TO STUDY THE PROCESS OF FARMING IN THE RECEIVING COUNTRY, TO GAIN EXPERIENCES THEREIN AND TO ACQUAINT SPECIALISTS WITH THE SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL LIFE OF THE RECIIVING COUNTRY.

ARTICLE II

THE PARTIES SHALL YEARLY SEND 15 TO 30 YOUNG, SKILLED
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AGRICULTURAL SPECIALISTS BETWEEN THE AGE OF 23 AND 32, FOR PARTICIPATING IN A 12 MONTH LONG PROFESSIONAL TRAINING.

ARTICLE III

THE PARTIES UNDERTAKE TO SEND TO EACH OTHER THE PROFES- SIONAL BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES AND THE PLAN OF WORK OF THE YOUNG SPECIALISTS 3 MONTHS PRIOR AND INFORM EACH OTHER ABOUT THE ACCEPTANCE OF THE CANDIDATE AT LEAST 1 MONTH PRIOR TO DATE OF DEPARTURE. THE PARTY CONCERNED SHOULD BE NOTIFIED BY THE PARTICIPANT ABOUT THE EXACT DATE AND PLACE OF ARRIVAL TWO WEEKS BEFORE DEPARTURE. THE YOUNG CANDIDATE SHOULD WORK IN AT LEAST TWO LARGE AGRICULTURAL CONCERNS SPECIALIZED IN THE AGRICULTURAL BRANCH PREVIOUSLY INDICATED BY THE SENDING PARTY. THE SPECIALIEST SHOULD BE PROVIDED BY HIS PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT, FREE OF CHARGE WITH TOOLS, WORKING CLOTHES AND PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT NECESSARY FOR HIS WORK. THE PARTIES SHOULD PROVIDE AND COVER THE EXPENSES OF THE

PARTICIPANTS, APPROPRIATE ACCOMMODATION WITH FULL BOARD.
THE PARTIES SHOULD ARRANGE AND ORGANIZE PARTICIPATION FOR
THE YOUNG SPECIALIST, AT ARRIVAL TO THE RECEIVING COUNTRY,
IN THE FOLLOWING TRAINING COURSES:

-- BRIEFING ABOUT THE RECEIVING COUNTRY, THE TASKS TO BE
UNDERTAKEN AND GENERAL INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR THE
ONE YEAR LONG TRAINING;

-- TWO WEEK LANGUAGE COURSE;

THE PARTIES SHOULD ENSURE FOR THE YOUNG SPECIALIST

-- TWICE DURING THE PERIOD OF PRACTICE, A 4-DAY PRO-
FESSIONAL TRAINING IN CONFORMITY WITH THE PARTICIPANTS
SCOPE OF INTEREST, AT UNIVERSITIES OR RESEARCH
INSTITUTES, FURTHERMORE

-- A WEEK-LONG FINAL SUMMARIZING PROFESSIONAL CONSULTA-
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ARTICLE IV

THE SENDING PARTY SHOULD COVER THE EXPENSES OF THE YOUNG
AGRICULTURAL SPECIALIST EVOLVED FROM TRAVELS TO AND FROM
THE CAPITALS OF THE COUNTRIES. THE RECEIVING PARTY SHOULD
BEAR THE EXPENSES OF INLAND TRAVELS REQUIRED TO SUCCESS-
FULLY FULFILL THE PROGRAM OF THE PARTICIPANT.

THE PARTIES SHOULD PROVIDE IN ADVANCE THE FINANCIAL MEANS
NECESSARY TO START THE PROGRAM. UPON ARRIVAL, THE
PARTICIPANT SHOULD RECEIVE POCKET-MONEY WITH AFTER-
RECKONING TO COVER EXPENSES IN THE FIRST MONTH.

THE UNIVERSITY PROVIDES A SALARY OF 3,000 FORINTS MONTHLY
FOR THE AMERICAN PARTICIPANT AS A PAYMENT FOR HIS WORK.
FROM THIS AMOUNT THE PARTICIPANT RECEIVES 1,000 FORINTS
MONTHLY. THE REST OF THE MONEY IS HANDLED BY
THE UNIVERSITY CENTRALLY ON INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS. FROM
THIS BASIS THE FOLLOWING EXPENDITURES WILL BE COVERED:

-- INFORMATION COURSE

-- A TWO-WEEK LANGUAGE COURSE
-- TWICE, A 4-DAY PROFESSIONAL COURSE
-- FINAL CONSULTATION
-- PERSONAL EXPENDITURES DURING EXCURSIONS.
BEFORE DEPARTING THE UNIVERSITY MAKES AN ITEMIZED ACCOUNT
WITH, AND PAYS THE WORK-INCOME SAVED IN ONE SUM TO THE
PARTICIPANT. FOUNDATION PROVIDES A SALARY OF \$340 U.S.
MONTHLY FOR THE HUNGARIAN PARTICIPANT AS A PAYMENT FOR
HIS WORK. FROM THIS AMOUNT \$65 ARE PAID IN CASH TO THE
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PARTICIPANT MONTHLY. THE BALANCE IS HANDLED BY THE
FOUNDATION CENTRALLY ON INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNTS. FROM THIS,
THE FOLLOWING EXPENDITURES WILL BE COVERED:
-- INFORMATION COURSE
-- A TWO-WEEK LANGUAGE COURSE
-- TWICE, A 4-DAY PROFESSIONAL COURSE
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WITH AND PAYS THE WORK-INCOME SAVED IN ONE SUM TO THE
PARTICIPANT.
THE PARTIES SHOULD INFORM EACH MUTUALLY ABOUT THE
FINANCIAL SITUATION HALF-YEARLY.

ARTICLE V

THE RECEIVING PARTY SHOULD ENSURE COMPLETE MEDICAL AND
DENTAL TREATMENT IN CASE OF ACCIDENT OR ILLNESS, INCLUDING
TRANSPORT OF THE SICK, HOSPITAL CARE, NURSING, THE
NECESSARY MEDICAMENTS, THERAPEUTICAL EQUIPMENTS,
DENTURE.
BOTH PARTIES SHOULD CONSIDER ANY ACCIDENT, INJURY OR ANY
TYPE OF INVALIDITY (DEATH) SUFFERED ABROAD BY THE
SPECIALIST SENT BY THEM, AS WORKING ACCIDENT OR AS AN
INVALIDITY ENDURED IN THEIR OWN COUNTRY AND SHOULD
PROVIDE APPROPRIATE PENSION, AND OTHER INDEMNITY IN
CONFORMITY WITH LEGAL PROVISIONS IN THEIR COUNTRIES.

ARTICLE VI

UPON PERMISSION FROM THE SENDING PARTY, THE PARTICIPANT
MAY RETURN HOME BEFORE COMPLETION OF HIS PROGRAM. IF
DURING THE TRAINING SEVERE COMPLAINTS ARISE CONCERNING
THE WORK OR BEHAVIOR OF THE PARTICIPANT, THE RECEIVING
PARTY INFORMS THE SENDING PARTY OF THIS IN WRITING,
ASKING FOR THE PARTICIPANT TO BE RECALLED. THE FINAL
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FINANCIAL ACCOUNT IN THIS CASE SHALL BE PROPORTIONAL
TO THE PERIOD SPENT IN PRACTICAL WORK.

ARTICLE VII

REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE UNIVERSITY AND THE FOUNDATION
SHOULD MAKE AN ANNUAL ASSESSMENT ABOUT THEIR
EXPERIENCES OF THE LAST YEAR AT A PREARRANGED DATE,
WHERE THEY SHOULD DISCUSS EVENTUALLY ARISING PROBLEMS,
SPECIFY THE PROGRAM OF THE FOLLOWING YEAR AND TASKS TO
BE PERFORMED.

ARTICLE VIII

THE PRESENT AGREEMENT ENTERS INTO FORCE UPON ITS SIGNING
BY THE PARTIES AND WILL BE VALID FOR TWO YEARS. IF 6
MONTHS BEFORE THE TERMINATION OF THE DURATION MENTIONED,
NEITHER OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES EXPRESS THEIR INTEN-
TIONS TO CANCEL THE AGREEMENT, IT REMAINS IN FORCE FOR
AN INDEFINITE DPERIOD, AND LOOSES ITS FORCE 6 MONTHS AFTER
THE DAY WHEN ONE OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES CANCELS IT.
THE CONTRACTING PARTIES UNDERTAKE TO MEET THEIR OBLI-
GATIONS CONCERNING THE YOUNG SPECIALIST WORKING IN THE
COUNTRY EVEN IF THE PRESENT AGREEMENT HAS ALREADY BEEN
NULLIFIED.

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